NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of birds contaminated with fecal matter and crop material, and of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed birds.

Disposition: September 25, 1951. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that a portion of the product be delivered to the Federal Security Agency and that the remainder be destroyed.

18088. Adulteration of dressed poultry. U. S. v. 366 Pounds * * *. (F. D. C. No. 31763. Sample No. 24384-L.)

LIBEL FILED: October 5, 1951, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 22, 1951, by Berry Brothers, from Morrill, Maine.

PRODUCT: 366 pounds of dressed poultry in 5 crates at Bronx, N. Y.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of birds which were contaminated with fecal matter; and, Section 402 (a) (5), the article was in whole or in part the product of a diseased animal.

Disposition: October 25, 1951. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that a portion of the product be delivered to the Federal Security Agency and that the remainder be destroyed.

18089. Adulteration of dressed poultry. U. S. v. 354 Pounds * * *. (F. D. C. No. 31749. Sample No. 24381-L.)

LIBEL FILED: October 3, 1951, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 11, 1951, by the Red River Produce Co., from Grand Forks, N. Dak.

PRODUCT: 354 pounds of dressed poultry in 9 crates at New York, N. Y.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (5), the article was in whole or in part the product of a diseased animal.

Disposition: October 19, 1951. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that a portion of the product be delivered to the Federal Security Agency and that the remainder be destroyed.

18090. Adulteration of dressed poultry. U. S. v. 265 Pounds * * *. (F. D. C. No. 31663. Sample No. 24374-L.)

LIBEL FILED: September 7, 1951, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 16, 1951, by the Maplewood Packing Co., from Belfast, Maine.

PRODUCT: 265 pounds of dressed poultry in 4 crates at New York, N. Y.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of birds contaminated with fecal matter; and, Section 402 (a) (5), the article was in whole or in part the product of a diseased animal.

Disposition: September 25, 1951. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that a portion of the product be delivered to the Federal Security Agency and that the remainder be destroyed.

18091. Adulteration of dressed poultry. U. S. v. 240 Pounds * * *. (F. D. C. No. 31637. Sample No. 24367–L.)

LIBEL FILED: August 29, 1951, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 9, 1951, by Spaulding & Sons, Inc., from Billerica, Mass.

PRODUCT: 240 pounds of dressed poultry in 4 crates at Bronx, N. Y.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of birds contaminated with fecal matter and crop material; and, Section 402 (a) (5), the article was in whole or in part the product of a diseased animal.

DISPOSITION: September 25, 1951. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that a portion of the product be delivered to the Federal Security Agency and that the remainder be destroyed.

18092. Adulteration of dressed poultry. U. S. v. 209 Pounds * * * *. (F. D. C. No. 31666. Sample No. 24375-L.)

LIBEL FILED: September 6, 1951, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 23, 1951, by Spaulding & Sons, Inc., from Billerica, Mass.

PRODUCT: 209 pounds of dressed poultry in 4 crates at Bronx, N. Y.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of birds contaminated with fecal matter and crop material, and of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed birds; and, Section 402 (a) (5), the article was in whole or part the product of a diseased animal.

DISPOSITION: September 25, 1951. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that a portion of the product be delivered to the Federal Security Agency and that the remainder be destroyed.

18093. Adulteration of dressed poultry. U. S. v. 149 Pounds * * * *. (F. D. C. No. 31662. Sample No. 24373-L.)

LIBEL FILED: September 7, 1951, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 23, 1951, by the Penobscot Poultry Co., from Belfast, Maine.

PRODUCT: 149 pounds of dressed poultry in 2 crates at New York, N. Y.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of birds contaminated with fecal matter and crop material; and, Section 402 (a) (5), the article was in whole or in part the product of a diseased animal.

DISPOSITION: September 25, 1951. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that a portion of the product be delivered to the Federal Security Agency and that the remainder be destroyed.

18094. Adulteration of dressed turkeys. U. S. v. 111 Pounds * * * (and 1 other seizure action). (F. D. C. Nos. 31638, 31648. Sample Nos. 24369-L, 24371-L.)

LIBELS FILED: August 29, 1951, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 9 and 16, 1951, by Furman & Co., from Canton, Mass.

PRODUCT: 111 pounds and 94 pounds of dressed turkeys at New York, N. Y.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), (111-pound lot) the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed birds, and it was otherwise unfit for food by reason of the presence of extensively bruised and mutilated birds; (94-pound